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was published in PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS of April 27, 1900. The preparation called "pictolin" there referred to is not of French origin, as I at first understood, but is manufactured in Berlin.

Respectfully,

A. C. SMITH,

*Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

GUATEMALA.

*Sanitary report from Livingston.*

LIVINGSTON, GUATEMALA, *June 5, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that for the past week the health status of Livingston has been very good. Only 1 death reported—adult female, from tuberculosis.

I have inspected the steamship *Stillwater*, which entered and cleared here to-day. Number of passengers, 2; number of crew, 32; cargo, general merchandise. All in good sanitary condition. No passengers from here. No further news concerning San Salvador.

Respectfully,

S. H. BACKUS,

*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

[Cablegram.]

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

HONOLULU, H. I., *June 5, 1900,*

*via San Francisco, June 12, 1900.*

No plague in Hawaii since March 31.

CARMICHAEL.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

HONDURAS.

*Report from La Ceiba—Fruit port.*

LA CEIBA, HONDURAS, *June 3, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that during the week ended June 2, 1900, 4 vessels cleared from this port, 3 for the United States, and 1 for Cuba. Four passengers left for the United States and 2 for Cuba. Five pieces of baggage were disinfected. General health conditions at this port continue good.

Respectfully,

SPENCER FRANKLIN,

*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

*Report from Puerto Cortez—Fruit port.*

PUERTO CORTEZ, HONDURAS, *June 7, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit report for week ended Thursday, June 7, 1900. I inclose list of vessels inspected and cleared from this port during the week. The health and sanitary condition of the port and adjacent country continue satisfactory. One death reported for